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BEACH ROWDIES UNDER FIRE

A Penny for your Thoughts

The Pennies photographer asked persons if they think "racial prejudice exists or is prevalent in the Los Angeles basin?"

Mrs. Edmond Alves, 1603 W. 218th St.:
"I'm not aware of any in this area. I don't think people are discriminated against as much as they think they are. I think the public in general makes too much of this."



Mrs. Norman Walters, 20902 Dalton Ave.:

"It isn't a problem as far as I'm concerned. I've read about problems minority groups have close in to Los Angeles but I don't feel we have any discrimination in the Torrance area."

Mrs. William Edwards, 21925 Harvard Ave.:

"We are in business and have all types of persons come in and we all get along fine. I am not aware of any discrimination here in the Torrance area. I don't think it's a problem in Los Angeles County."



Dr. Leonard Cole, 1104 Satori Ave.:

"Yes. Many times I have seen it personally. It is no more a problem in the Los Angeles area than anywhere else and perhaps there is even less of a problem here than in other areas."

Ralph Dearman, 4118 W. 178th St.:

"I think they are much better off here than back in North Carolina where I just came from. It will take time but they'll eventually be on the same plain or level as here but it'll take several years."



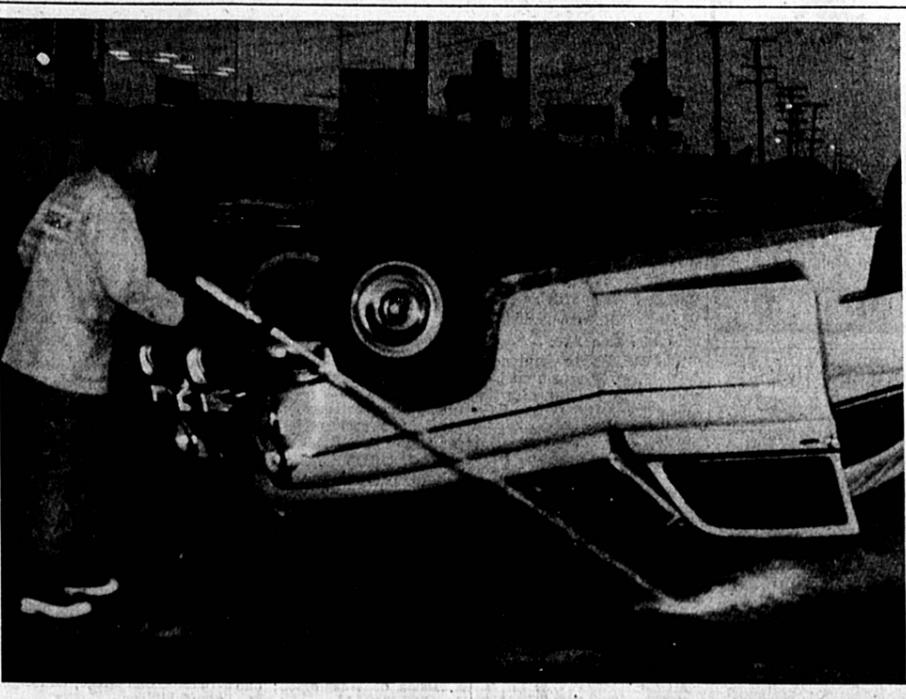
6 Hurt As Auto Crashes

Two ambulances were needed to carry the driver and five passengers of an automobile to Little Company of Mary Hospital for treatment following a crash involving three cars early yesterday in front of 3603 Pacific Coast Hwy.

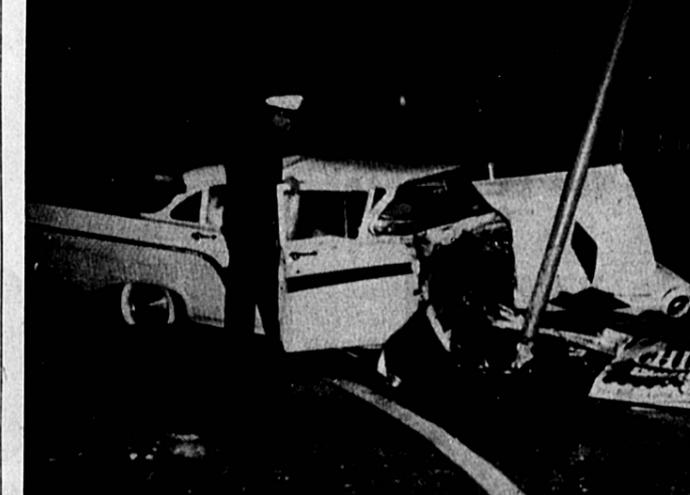
An auto containing three young couples bumped into one car as both were westbound on Pacific Coast Highway and then careened off the highway striking another auto before flipping onto its side, officers said.

Driver of the car was listed as Roberta Pauliene Smith, 26, of Santa Monica, who was treated for minor injuries. Her passengers included Millard Stephens, 22, James DiLivore, 22, and Ray Prescott, 21, all of the USS Wilkinson in the Los Angeles Harbor. Other passengers were Erlayne Curtis, 27, and Rosie Ortiz, 21, both of Long Beach.

Joseph Alex Cassone Jr., 17, of 4729 Vanderhill Rd., driver of the other car, was uninjured.



AUTO FLIPPED . . . Driver Nell B. Sedillo, 41, of 239 E. 215th St., was taken to Harbor General Hospital for treatment following a two-car crash at Western Avenue and Carson Street early yesterday. Her car flipped up onto its top and spun around at least once after colliding with one driven by Billie Thornton Norris, 32, of 1860 Torrance Blvd., investigating officers said.



EARLY MORNING ACCIDENT . . . Gene Manuel Miranda, 21, of Rolling Hills Estates, apparently escaped with minor injuries about 4 a.m. Wednesday when his car struck a retaining wall and light standard on Pacific Coast Highway east of Madison Street. Here Traffic Officer Art Fuller inspects heavily damaged auto. (Herald Photo)

Campaign Dodger Triggers GOP Donnellybrook in 46th District

The apparent calm on the local political scene erupted into a Donnellybrook in the 46th Assembly District yesterday as two GOP candidates squared off with words at arm's length. Publication of a dodger by GOP challenger Pat Gibson purportedly claiming the backing of "Republican Associates of the 46th District" touched off repercussions among a number of Republican Party leaders.

Among the first to sound off was Don Frey, executive director of Republican Associate, a countywide Republican organization, who decried the unauthorized use of his organization's name.

"THERE'S absolutely no connection whatsoever between Republican Associates of Los Angeles County and the obviously campaign-inspired Republican Associates of the 46th District," Frey said in a telegram to the HERALD. Frey said he had called Gibson asking him and his associates to refrain from using the name and indicated that if "later events prove that this use of our established name seriously impairs our obtaining membership support within the boundaries of the 46th District, we may take further action."

ON THE OTHER side of the squabble was Assemblyman

Charles E. Chapel, a candidate for re-election from the 46th District, who yelled "foul!" when the dodger was distributed this weekend. "Most of the people included as endorsing Gibson, although by implication, have actually endorsed my reelection and have assured me today that I still have their endorsement," Chapel told the HERALD.

Among those was Tom Coffey, candidate for the GOP Congressional nomination here two years ago, who told the HERALD that he had endorsed Chapel early in the campaign and that "my endorsement sticks."

Nixon Due Here Monday Morning

Richard M. Nixon, winding up his campaign for the Republican nomination for governor, will visit the Torrance Nixon Headquarters at 1307 Post Ave. in downtown Torrance between 10 and 11 a.m. Monday, it was announced yesterday by Boris S. Woolley and John M. Wrenn, co-chairmen of the Torrance for Nixon Committee.

A large gathering is expected to greet the former Vice President at the downtown headquarters as he makes his stop here during a last-day tour of his campaign headquarters throughout the Southland. During his visit here, he will greet as many well-wishers as possible and distribute autographed cards as his time permits.

Among those on hand to greet him will be the Torrance

Nixonettes, an organization of girls of high school age, who will act as hostesses. The girls will distribute campaign literature and information during the morning.

An exact hour for Nixon's arrival could not be given, but local chairmen said they had been assured he would be at the headquarters during the hour between 10 and 11 a.m.

Ballot Measures

For comment on ballot propositions, see editorial on page 4.

College Faculty Honors Three of Its Members

Three El Camino faculty members, all of whom will leave the college at the close of the semester hold scrolls of recognition presented at the El Camino College Faculty Assn. Tuesday.

Honored were Gerhardus Snijders, who will return to Holland after four years at El Camino; Leslie Edwards, who finishes his year of work as an exchange teacher from England, and Charles Toynbee, retiring from education after nearly 15 years at El Camino.

Awarding the scroll to "Gam" Snijders was William Johnson, a fellow English instructor. SNIJTERS prefaced his thanks by remarking, "It is practically impossible to take an old tree and plant it in another country — the ties of home are calling me back." Speaking of his years spent at El Camino, Snijders spoke of the large place the college will hold in his heart and memories.

City Council Moves to Ban Gin Parties

An ordinance which would outlaw the use or possession of intoxicating liquors on Torrance Beach ordered by the City Council last month will be introduced when the Council meets at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Introduction of the ordinance follows last week's action in ordering beefed up police patrols at the beach and posting of signs warning users of the restrictions. At the same time, City Manager Wade Peebles has requested the County Board of Supervisors to assist in the matter, pointing out that the city and county shared jurisdiction in the city's beach area.

ADDING TO the complaints this week were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Baumgartner of Bindewald Road who asked for more policing, more recreational supervision "to channel the youths' energy into wholesome beach activities," and a cleanup daily by the city to keep the beach free from litter and broken glass.

"If these items are placed into effect, we can return the beach to a family recreation spot where we would be proud to take our three young sons to visit and any of our friends

or relatives who may come to visit here," the Baumgartners wrote to the Council. Action of the City Council here follows similar action in other beach cities of the area which was triggered by Easter vacation rowdiness in several cities.



HAROLD G. FRENTZ To Be Honored at Luncheon

Chamber To Salute President

A testimonial luncheon for Harold G. Frentz, Chamber of Commerce president, who was recently elevated by the Bank of America and transferred to offices in Beverly Hills, has been scheduled for noon Thursday in the Palms Crystal Room.

Torrance city officials and civic leaders are scheduled to be on hand to pay tribute to Frentz, who had managed the Bank of America's downtown Torrance branch until May 1.

TOASTMASTER for the occasion will be Mike Denn, a member of the Chamber board of directors. Dr. LaVern Freeman, minister of the Community Christian Church of Huntington Park, will give the invocation. Frentz has been active in the Rev. Dr. Freeman's church for many years.

Heading the testimonial program will be Bill Belding, manager of the Broadway Del Amo and director of the Chamber. Others scheduled to participate include City Manager Wade Peebles, School Superintendent J. H. Hull, Vice President E. P. McRitchie of the Bank of America; Mayor Albert Isen, and Sam Levy, Torrance businessman and member of the Bank of America's local advisory board.

Frentz has been succeeded at his bank post here by Bruce Jones, who was assistant manager for several years.

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